

Please Join Us in Praise and Prayer

Praising God for the wonderful things He has made possible so far this year:

*Beginning in January we sponsored a pastors’ discipleship course through Baptist Mid-Missions. We would like to move into the second course this fall. \$3,500. is needed to scholarship some of our village pastors to be able to attend this second round.

*\$1,600. has been raised for a car for Pastor Pasqual Moreno from the church in Urquizo. We still need \$1,900. to purchase a used vehicle that will enable him to travel from village to village preaching and leading other pastors.

*The Soccer camp is planned – pray for the details to come together well and on time.

*Finally, pray for us, as a board. – We are looking to add two additional members to the board.

- Remember us frequently, asking for wisdom in the careful management of resources the Lord provides each month.

Looking back

I am overwhelmed with gratitude for the many people who have prayed regularly, donated time, and contributed materials and money. On behalf of the board of SAM and the churches we have been able to help, thank you, and may God bless you all.

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“The earth is the Lord’s and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it.” Psalm 24:11 Everything we see is the property of God, every rock, every tree, every animal, every person; it all belongs to God.

It’s the mission of SAM to inform every Mexican that God loves them and wants them to join his family. We are so thankful for the many churches and individuals who help fund our various efforts to reach these people for Jesus Christ – Thank you!

March Trip – Constructing buildings and Lives

As is our practice, again this past March SAM sponsored the construction of buildings needed by churches in Mexico. This year a crew of workers from the USA built three classrooms for the church in El Mezquital, a village on the outskirts of Torreon, as well as pouring a 34x51 foot slab of concrete in three stages for the church in Urquizo, an hour’s drive NE of Torreon. This concrete will provide a base for a much-needed shade structure for outdoor activities.



In the same week, a prayer seminar for the ladies from several churches in the Gomez Palacio area was conducted by Kay Bytwerk. An average of 35 women gathered each of 4 nights for “Building A Life of Prayer.” It turned out to be a good time with refreshments and fellowship after each talk. It’s our hope that this will spark a much-needed prayer movement among our churches in that area.



Morales' Move Back Home!

You may remember, Pepe and Rosina, who pastor the Hispanic church in Grant Michigan lost their home and all of its contents in a fire in March of 2022. Volunteers from a variety of churches and from many denominations have helped rebuild their home. Their combined efforts, along with their contributions of money and materials has provided the family with a debt free, new home! It is a beautiful picture of the Bride of Christ, his Church working together.



Amazingly, they were able to hold an open house and dedication just a little over a year and a half later, April 16, 2023. God is gracious! Our thanks to all of you who have made this a reality.

The Return of the Soccer Ministry

In 2019, SAM initiated a new ministry to reach the youth in the Gomez Palacio area. 119 kids of all ages attended a soccer camp in which 41 of them made a decision to follow Jesus. Praise God!

Regretfully, COVOD interrupted our plan to repeat this effort. However, this year in the week of July 17-20th, we will by God's grace re-initiate this ministry. To those of us used to church summers, it appears much like a VBS with a soccer theme - "classes" in soccer as well as the Bible.



Last summer, instead of soccer day camp, SAM conducted its first ever 5 day over-night camp. Many of you reading this gave financially to make that camp possible. It is now feeding leaders into this year's Soccer Camp – older kids who accepted Christ last year will be junior leaders at this year's Soccer Camp. This is what we love to see! One teaches another who teaches another...this is the Jesus way!